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Applicants: ELDRIDGE et al.

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Examiner:

MICROELECTRONIC SPRING

STRUCTURES ON A SUBSTRATE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Notice To File Missing Parts Of Nonprovisional Application dated April 3, 2001, or until July 3, 2001.

Enclosed is a check for \$110.00 to pay the one-month extension fee in accordance with Rule 1.17(a)(1).

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge any amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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